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MEMBERSHIP

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1. IN ARMED FORCES DAY SPEECH SEPT 10 MARCOS REITERATED
THAT "WE ARE A FIRM ADVOCATE OF THE PROPOSAL TO EXTEND
(ASEAN) MEMBERSHIP TO ALL THE NATIONS IN THE REGION."

2. COMMENTS REF. B STILL APPLY. DESPITE PUBLIC REMARKS
TO THE CONTRARY, MARCOS WOULD BE DISMAYED IN UNLIKELY EVENT
THAT INDOCHINESE STATES EXPRESS SERIOUS INTEREST IN ASEAN
MEMBERSHIP. GOP AWARE THAT RESULT WOULD ALMOST CERTAINLY
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BE HIGHLY DISRUPTIVE TO FLEDGLING REGIONAL COOPERATION

IN ECONOMIC AS WELL AS POLITICAL FIELDS. ON OTHER
HAND, GOP UNDOUBTEDLY FEELS IT USEFUL TO PAY LIP-
SERVICE TO SUCH CONCEPT, VAGUE AS IT IS, WHILE ATTEMPTING
IN PARIS TO WORK OUT FUTURE RELATIONS WITH HANOI.
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